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The Applicant hereby appeals the at least twice rejected claims pending in the referenced patent application. Claims 1 and 3-27 were finally rejected in a final Official action mailed on 22 October 2001. The Notice of Appeal fee is enclosed herewith.

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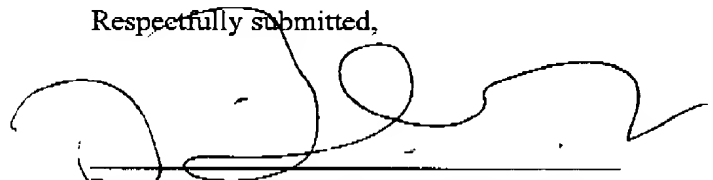
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